CITY OF WESTMINSTER

City View Avenue, Hollow Rock Avenue and James Street Water Mains Upgrade Contract A-963

Sealed bids for City Project No A-963 will be received by **The Mayor and Common Council of Westminster at the Department of Public Works, 56 West Main Street, Westminster, Maryland, 21157 until 2:00 p.m., December 28, 2016.** The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at **2:15 p.m.** in the City Hall (1838 Emerald Hill Lane),

Work under this contract will include, but not limited to, replacement of public water mains and other work as provided for in the Contract Documents.

Copies of the Contract Specifications may be purchased at the office of the Department of Public Works located at 56 W. Main Street, Westminster, Maryland 21157, on or after **November 30, 2016** upon payment of \$25.00 per set. Cost of the Contract Documents to be mailed is \$35.00. Make checks payable to the Mayor and Council for the City of Westminster. **NO REFUNDS** will be made for return of Contract Specifications.

The City reserves the right to reject bids, to waive technical defects and to accept the bid which, in the judgment of the City, is to its best interest.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check or acceptable bid bond for ten percent (10%) of the total bid in the proposal, payable to the City, and unless so accompanied will not be considered.

The successful bidder will be required to be bonded to the City in a sum equal to One Hundred and ten percent (110%) of the contract price. Such bond shall also include Labor, Material Payment and Performance Bond. A surety must be acceptable to the City and the form of Bond shall be in accordance with that included with these specifications.

A mandatory Pre-Bid conference will be conducted at **10:00 a.m. on December 12, 2016** at the City Hall (1838 Emerald Hill Lane Westminster 21157), followed by a site visit. **Attendance by the Contractors is mandatory.**

All questions pertaining to the contract proposal and specifications should be directed in writing to Michael Matov, City of Westminster, Phone: (410) 848-2592, Email: mmatov@westgov.com. The closing time for questions is **3:00 p.m., December 22, 2016**.